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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Kenneth B. Higgins, William Tippet, N. David Sellman, Heather J. Hayes,  
Shulong Li, Thomas E. Godfrey

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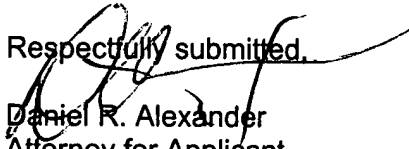
Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.97, et seq., including specifically subsections (g) and (h) thereof, Applicant(s) call to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed in the attached Form PTO-1449(modified). Copies of the references listed in Form PTO-1449 are provided for the Examiner's review and entry in the record herein, except for references previously submitted to or cited by the Office in a prior application.

It is Applicant's belief that no fee is necessary, however, please charge any necessary fee to Deposit Account 04-0500. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

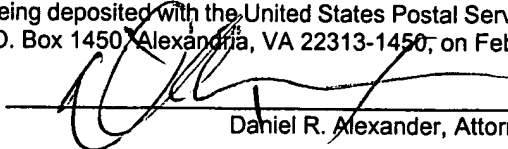
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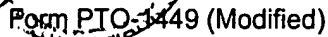
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